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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of August 18, 2005, please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.